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MEMORANDUM FOR: Operations

SUBJECT : J75 Engine Support

1. Reference is made to the Staff Meeting Minutes, 31 March 1959, paragraph 3. In order that a realistic Flyaway Kit program can be initiated to provide required spares in support of J-75 Engine, it is requested that an operational concept be furnished this office. Factors which would be helpful are listed below.

- a) Distribution of aircraft by location and quantities
- b) Number of sorties to be flown per month

2. The list of spares recently furnished by Pratt & Whitney is in support of four (4) aircraft at one (1) location for a thirty (30) day period and does not provide for any depot back-up or pipeline time. Should this concept of operation prevail, the problems of support are simplified from the standpoint of engine spares, technical personnel and ground support equipment required. The cost of items listed totals

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3. Personnel from AF Headquarters, AMC and Pratt & Whitney are holding a provisioning meeting this date to refine the present list. Due to short lead time involved, it is requested that your reply reach this office at the earliest possible date.

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Director of Material

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